

# Hill School COVID-19 Student Decision Tree

## COVID-19 Symptoms according to the CDC

- ◆ Fever or chills
- ◆ Cough
- ◆ Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- ◆ Fatigue
- ◆ Muscle or body aches
- ◆ Headache
- ◆ New loss of taste or smell
- ◆ Sore throat
- ◆ Congestion or runny nose
- ◆ Nausea or vomiting
- ◆ Diarrhea

**Symptom onset is the first day that you develop ANY of the above listed symptoms.**

If you have muscle or body aches but nothing else is bothering you, that is the first day of symptom onset.

**Has your student had close contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19?**

**What is a close contact?** Someone who:

- Lives in the same household with a COVID-19 positive person OR
- Cares for a person sick with COVID-19 OR
- Has been within 6' of a person sick with COVID-19 for 15 minutes or longer OR
- Has been in direct contact with secretions from a person sick with COVID-19

**If no**, come to school and practice the safety protocols we have implemented. Be safe and be smart.

**If yes**, do not come to school. Stay at home to quarantine, contact your health care provider and email [Health@hillschool.org](mailto:Health@hillschool.org) to report your exposure. Call Michelle Frantz at the front desk to report an absence.

Only students who are fully vaccinated will NOT need to quarantine after contact with someone who had COVID-19, unless they start experiencing symptoms. Students may return to school after day 5 of quarantine without testing and if no symptoms have been reported during daily monitoring. Students returning from quarantine will be required to wear a mask for an additional 5 days.

**Your student has been tested for COVID-19 due to either symptoms or exposure, now what?**

If your student's results were **negative and he/she is symptom-free**, your student may return to school.

If your student's results were **negative but he/she has symptoms**, you may return to school after a repeat COVID-19 test is negative and your student has been fever-free for 24 hours (without fever-reducing medicine) and their symptoms are improving. As a precaution, your student may be asked to wear a mask while experiencing allergy symptoms.

If your student's results were **positive** and he/she has symptoms, stay at home to quarantine for 5 days beginning the day of the test or onset of symptoms. Contact your health care provider and email [Health@hillschool.org](mailto:Health@hillschool.org) to report your test results. Call Michelle Frantz at the front desk to report an absence.

Student may return to school after day 5 of quarantine, if they have been fever-free for 24 hours (without fever-reducing medicine) and other symptoms are improving. Students returning from quarantine will be required to wear a mask for an additional 5 days.